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**REQUEST FOR FILING A CONTINUATION OR DIVISION
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Sir:

This is a request for filing a *continuation* application under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b), of pending prior international application number PCT/EP01/15043 filed on December 19, 2001 which designated the United States.

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APPLICATION ELEMENTS:

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- (2) ☒ Six (6) sheet(s) of **formal drawings**, together with transmittal letter
- (3) ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ to cover the ☐ filing fee(\$.00)
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Basic Fee								\$	750.00
Multiple Dependent Claims (\$260.)									
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- (4) ☐ Declaration and Power of Attorney form
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 c. ☐ Deletion of inventor(s) – signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application.
- (5) ☐ Small Entity Status

ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS:

- (6) ☐ Assignment document
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(13) ☐ Other:

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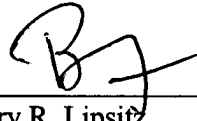
(15) ☒ This application claims the benefit of German Patent Application
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(17) ☒ Pursuant to the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.10 and 1.53, Applicants
respectfully request that this application be assigned a serial number and a filing
date of June 19, 2003, the date upon which the application was mailed to the Patent
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